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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 1803

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Christine L. Brakel et al.)
Serial No.: 07/446,235) Group Art Unit: 1803
Filing Date: December 4, 1989) Examiner: Gary L. Kunz, Ph.D.
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Honorable Commissioner
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Dear Sirs:

Kindly enter this Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 to the Office Action that was mailed on September 3, 1993 in connection with the above-identified application. This Amendment is accompanied by a Request For a Three-Month Extension of Time and the fee therefor. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

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